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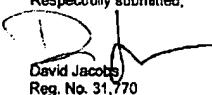
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<p>Applicants: Chase et al. ✓            Application Number: 09/785,408 ✓            Filing Date: Feb 16, 2001 ✓            Title: Systems and Methods for Controlling Vehicle Access ✓            Group Art Unit: 2635 ✓            Attorney Docket: ZipCar/USPatent ✓</p>			
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<p>Dear Sir,</p> <p>Pursuant to the duty of Disclosure as enumerated by 37 C.F.R. 1.97 (b) (2), and 37 C.F.R. 1.98, please find herein a facsimile transmission for filing in the referenced application:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. An Information Disclosure Statement by Applicant (PTO 1449) listing patents for consideration by the Office (10 references total); and</li> <li>2. A copy of each cited reference above is being filed via Express Mail today</li> </ol> <p>Because the references are in the English language, a concise explanation of the relevance is not provided. Because this paper is being filed prior to the 1<sup>st</sup> Office Action, no fee is believed to be due at this time. However, should the PTO determine that a fee is required, the PTO is hereby authorized to charge such fee, and any other required fee to Lucash Gesmer &amp; Updegrafe PTO Deposit Account No. 122315.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Respectfully submitted,</p> <div style="text-align: right; margin-right: 50px;">             David Jacobs            Reg. No. 31,770            Lucash Gesmer &amp; Updegrafe, LLP            Boston, Mass 02109            Tel: (617) 350 6345            Fax: (617) 350 6878         </div> <p>Date: March 7, 2002</p> <p>Certificate of Facsimile Transmission (2 PAGES TOTAL)      I hereby certify that the attached correspondence is being transmitted via facsimile to the Patent and Trademark Office, Technology Center TC 2600, Before Final Facsimile Telephone Number 703-872-9314, on this day, March 7, 2002.</p> <p>Signature of person mailing: <u>Lakshmi Samudrala</u>    Lakshmi Samudrala</p>			